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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:
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Mr. Johnny W. Reising
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RE: Operations and
Maintenance Master
Plan, RTC

Dear Mr. Reising:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) has completed its review of the United States Department of Energy's (U.S. DOE) Responses to Comments (RTC) on the operations and maintenance master plan for the aquifer restoration and waste water project.

The RTC adequately addressed U.S. EPA's previous comments. Therefore, U.S. EPA approves the RTC for the aquifer restoration and waste water master plan.

Please contact me at (312) 886-0992 if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

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